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## Is the Soloman Islands dangerous to visit?

Visits to other provinces in Solomon Islands are generally trouble-free. There are few roads in Solomon Islands; 90% of these are on Guadalcanal and Malaita. Many are very heavily potholed and in some areas bridges have collapsed. Standards of driving and vehicle maintenance are poor.

Are Solomon Islands an independent country?

Government Solomon Islands achieved internal self-government in 1976 and became independent in July 1978. The country's system of Government is a Parliamentary Democracy with a unicameral legislature.

How did Solomon Islands get its name?

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How many islands are in the Soloman Islands now?

Solomon Islands is a sovereign country consisting of six major islands and over 900 smaller islands in Oceania, to the east of Papua New Guinea and northwest of Vanuatu.It has a land area of 28,400 square kilometres (11,000 sq mi), and a population of 652,858. Its capital, Honiara, is located on the largest island, Guadalcanal.The country takes its name from the Solomon Islands archipelago ...

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Forming a scattered archipelago of mountainous islands and low-lying coral atolls, the Solomon Islands stretches about 900 miles in the south-easterly direction from the Shortlands Islands to the Santa Cruz islands.

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